

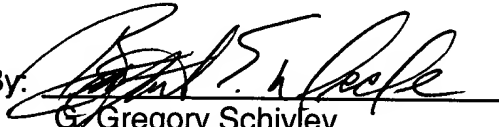
**REMARKS**

Claims 8-12, 15-17, 21-26, and 29-38 are now pending in the application. Claim 29 is amended herein to change "layer" to "member" to establish proper antecedent basis. Favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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